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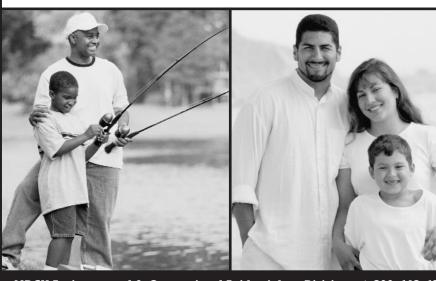
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## 2003 MICHIGAN FAMILY FISH CONSUMPTION GUIDE

Important facts to know if you eat Michigan fish



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#### Project F.I.S.H

Project F.I.S.H. is a Michigan youth sportfishing education program. It is designed to involve children in long-term, mentor-based, community-supported, sportfishing and aquatic resource education.

Call 517-432-2700 for more information, or visit: www.projectfish.org



#### General Fish Consumption Advice

The Michigan Department of Community Health advises extra caution about eating Michigan fish for women of childbearing age and children under 15.

Certain kinds and sizes of fish from the Great Lakes and from some of Michigan's lakes and streams contain levels of toxic chemicals that may be harmful if those fish are eaten too often.

The amounts of chemicals found in Michigan fish are not known to cause immediate sickness. But chemicals can collect in the body over time. It may take months or years of regularly eating contaminated fish to build up amounts that are a health concern. Chemicals may eventually affect your health or that of your children. Mothers who eat highly contaminated fish before birth may have children who are slower to develop and learn. A pregnant woman may pass these chemicals to her unborn child and to the new baby through breast milk.

### What Can I Do to Reduce My Health Risks from Chemicals in Fish?

- Choose smaller fish. Generally, panfish and fish just over the legal size will have fewer chemicals.
- Choose lean fish. Panfish, brook trout and brown trout that live in streams and rivers tend to be low in fat. Small walleye, northern pike and bass, especially those that are just legal size, also tend to have fewer chemicals. Carp and catfish are higher in fat and usually have more chemicals.
- Choose fish that don't eat other fish. Large predator fish, especially large walleye, northern pike, muskie, bass and lake trout tend to have more chemicals.



For a guide to how often you may eat sport fish and still avoid potential health risks from chemicals, see the charts of specific advisories for the Great Lakes watersheds. The charts start on page 8. They show specific locations, kinds, and sizes of fish, and how often you may eat them.

Trim and cook fish properly to reduce risk. This can remove more than 50 percent of the remaining contaminants in fish. See the separate section on trimming and cooking on page 3.

#### Advisory on Mercury in Inland Lakes

he Michigan Department of Community Health has issued a special advisory for all inland lakes in Michigan due to mercury. This is a widespread problem throughout the north central United States and Canada.

No one should eat more than one meal a week of these kinds and sizes of fish from any of Michigan's inland lakes:

- · Rock bass, perch, or crappie over 9 inches in length
- Any size largemouth bass, smallmouth bass, walleye, northern pike, or muskie

Women of childbearing age and children under age 15 should not eat more than one meal per month of these fish.

More than 200 inland bodies of water have been sampled. For specific advice about these lakes, see the summary of mercury in fish from inland lakes on page 6.

#### Commercial Fish

The fish you buy from your supermarket can also contain toxic chemicals. There are laws to limit them, but extra caution will help protect unborn and young children.

Women of child bearing age, particularly those who are pregnant or nursing, and children under 15 should not eat these fish due to mercury levels:

• Swordfish • Shark • King Mackerel • Tilefish

## COOKING AND CLEANING FISH



#### Trim & Cook Fish Properly To Reduce Risk

Fish are nutritious and good to eat. When properly prepared, fish provide a diet high in protein and low in saturated fats. Many doctors suggest, based on scientific studies, that eating 2-3 fish meals a week is helpful in preventing heart disease.

Proper preparation reduces the concentration of organic chemicals like PCB even further. By trimming fatty areas before cooking and by cooking fish in ways that allow fat to drip away, more than 50 percent of the contaminants in fish can be eliminated. Methyl mercury is stored in fish flesh. Special trimming and cooking methods do not remove it.



Trim fatty areas before cooking (see drawing). The belly, the top of the back, and the dark meat along the skin side of the fillet are often fatty.

Remove or puncture skin before cooking. This allows fats to drain off and helps remove or reduce fat under the skin.

Cook so fat drips away. Bake, broil or grill on a rack, or poach and do not use the liquid.

Deep-fry trimmed fillets in vegetable oil. After frying, drain and throw away the oil.

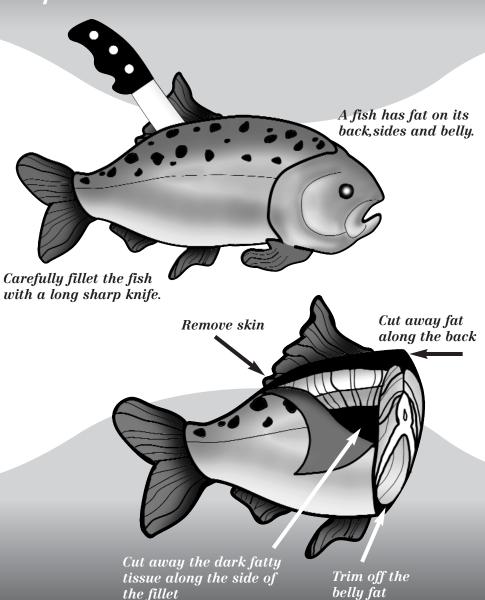


Pan-fry in butter or animal fat, and don't make fish soups or chowders. These methods hold in juices that contain fat from the fish.



# COOKING AND CLEAN-ING FISH

Important reminders.



## CHARTS OF SPECIFIC ADVISORIES

How to Use the Charts - Four Easy Steps

#### Step One:

In the first column, find the body of water in which you are fishing. The charts are divided into separate listings for each Great Lakes watershed. Within these sections, the Great Lake is listed first, then bays on the lake that have additional advisories, followed by an alphabetical listing of rivers that flow into the lake and inland lakes, reservoirs or impoundments in the watershed.

#### Step Two:

In the second column, find the kind of fish that you have caught.

#### **Step Three:**

Read across the top of the chart to the appropriate category and find the size range of the fish you have caught. The General Population category is for men, boys over the age of 15 and women who are beyond childbearing years. The Women & Children category is for women of childbearing age and children under 15.

#### **Step Four:**

Follow the size column down to the line for the species that you found in the previous steps. The symbol on the chart represents the consumption advice, according to the following key:

- ▲ Unlimited consumption. Eat as much of these fish as you wish.
- One meal per week.
- One meal per month.
- Six meals per year.
- Do not eat these fish.





#### General Advice

If you are fishing in a river or stream that is not listed, keep in mind the following facts:

- Larger and older fish tend to collect more contaminants.
- Fish that eat other fish, such as muskie, northern pike, walleye and bass, tend to collect chemicals such as mercury.
- Fatty fish, such as carp, catfish, lake trout and large salmon, tend to collect PCBs and similar chemicals.
- For salmon and trout on their spawning run into streams, follow the advice for the Great Lake from which they are migrating.

#### Mercury in fish

Mercury is found in nature. It is also released by burning wastes and coal, and improper disposal of mercury containing products such as thermometers, batteries, and older thermostats. Small amounts can dissolve in water. Bacteria can change it into a more toxic form called methyl mercury.

Fish pick it up as they feed and absorb it from water as it passes over their gills. Larger predator fish accumulate more as they eat other fish. Methyl mercury is stored in fish flesh. Special trimming and cooking methods do not remove it.

Nearly all fish contain very small amounts of methyl mercury. Usually only large fish that eat other fish have levels too high for humans to eat.

#### Mercury in Michigan Sport Fish

In addition to Great Lakes advisories, these charts represent results of testing for mercury in fish from about 200 inland lakes in Michigan. Only a few kinds of fish were tested in each lake. The charts show only the mercury in the fish that were tested. Other fish in the same lake will probably have similar levels. Large fish such as bass and walleye may have higher levels. Panfish such as bluegill and sunfish may have lower levels. You can also get a copy of the full tables that show species and sizes tested in each lake. Contact the Michigan Department of Community Health Environmental & Occupational Epidemiology Division at 1-800-648-6942.

#### General Inland Lake Mercury Advisory

For lakes not in these lists, follow this general advisory. Even in the lakes tested that did not have fish consumption advisories due to mercury it is wise to limit meals of large fish.

- No one should eat more than one meal a week of rock bass, yellow perch, or crappie over nine inches in length and bass, walleye, northern pike or muskellunge of any size.
- Women of childbearing age and children under 15 should not eat more than one meal per month of these fish.

#### Spacing Meals of Sport Fish

It's important to leave enough space between meals of sport fish so you reduce the risks of chemicals in fish.

- If you eat fish that contain mercury, wait until the consumption period is over before having another meal of fish in the same category. For example, if you eat a fish that has a consumption advisory of one meal a month because of mercury contamination, don't eat any more fish that contain mercury for another month.
- It's different with fish that contain other chemicals such as PCBs. You can eat more meals of these fish over a shorter period of time as long as you don't go over the total number of meals you could have in a year. If most of the fish you eat are in the one-meal-a-week category, you could have a total of 52 meals a year. If most of the fish you eat are in the one-meal-a-month group, you could have 12 meals a year. Eating one meal of fish from the one-meal-a-month group is the same as eating four meals of fish from the one-meal-a-week group. If you eat most of your meals of sport fish in four or five months over the summer fishing season, that's okay but don't eat more than the total number of meals you may have in a year.

#### Need More Information?

For further information or for the most up-to-date advice, contact the MDCH Environmental & Occupational Epidemiology Division at 1-800-648-6942. This advisory was updated in January, 2002. Determining safe levels of fish consumption is an ongoing process of scientific analysis. Updates may be issued as the Michigan Department of Community Health gets new information.

Unlimited consumption. One meal per week. **General Population** Women & Children One meal per month. Six meals per year. **Length (inches) Length (inches)** Do not eat these fish. 14-18 12-14 18-22 26-30 10-1212-14 30 +8-9 8-9 30 Water body **Species** Contaminant(s) Lake Erie Watershed All other locations refer to general advice on page 6. Lake Erie # Carp, Catfish PCBs, Dioxins Chinook Salmon **PCBs** Coho Salmon **PCBs** Freshwater Drum **PCBs** Lake Trout **PCBs** Rainbow Trout **PCBs** (Including Steelhead) **Smallmouth Bass PCBs PCBs** Walleye White Bass **PCBs** Whitefish PCBs, Dioxins White Perch **PCBs** Yellow Perch **PCBs** Barton Pond\* (Huron R.) **PCBs** Carp Belleville Lake\* (Huron R.) **PCBs** Carp Gizzard Shad **PCBs PCBs** Walleye White Suckers **PCBs** 

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Mercury, PCBs

Mercury, PCBs

Mercury, PCBs

Carp

Carp

Walleye

**Smallmouth Bass** 

Largemouth Bass

An empty box in the chart means one of two things:

- On the small end of the size scale, fish in this size range are not of legal size.
- On the large end of the size scale, fish of this type generally do not grow to this size.

Black Creek (Lenawee Co.)

Black River (Sanilac Co.)

Cass Lake\* (Oakland Co.)

Clear Spring Lake\* (Macomb Co.)

<sup>#</sup> Also applies to tributaries into which migratory species enter.

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	White Sucker	PCBs										1	<b>4</b> ▼			▼	•	▼	▼	<b>V</b>
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	Freshwater Drum	Mercury, PCBs					V	V	V	V	V									
	Northern Pike	PCBs										Т								
	Redhorse Sucker	PCBs										•								
	Walleye	PCBs																		
	Yellow Perch	PCBs										1	<b>4</b> 🗸							
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	Carp	PCBs																		
	Channel Catfish	PCBs	Г									Т								
	Walleye	PCBs									lack	T				▼	▼	•	▼	V
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Kent Lake* (Oakland Co.)	Black Crappie	Mercury, PCBs		~	~		V	V				7	<b>'</b>							
	Carp	PCBs																		
	Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass	PCBs										I				▼	•	•	•	
	Walleye	Mercury, PCBs						▼	▼	▼	▼							•		
Lake Orion* (Oakland Co.)	Carp	PCBs, Chlordane								<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>								<b>•</b>	<b></b>
	Largemouth Bass	Mercury					▼	▼		▼		Т								
	Northern Pike	Mercury, PCBs								<b>V</b>										

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	Brown Bullhead	Mercury																		
	Carp	PCBs																		
	Carpsucker	Mercury									lacksquare									
	Channel Catfish	PCBs	Т															•	•	•
	Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass	Mercury, PCBs					▼	▼	▼	▼						•		•	•	
	Northern Pike	Mercury								lacktriangleright	lacktriangledown									
	Muskellunge	Mercury, PCBs									<b>•</b>									•
	Sturgeon	PCBs	Т																	
	Walleye	Mercury, PCBs							▼	lacksquare	▼				•	•	▼			
	White Bass	Mercury, PCBs				V		▼				•		•						
	White Perch	Mercury			▼															П
Loon Lake* (Oakland Co.)	Carp	PCBs									lack	▼			V		▼	•	V	
	Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass	Mercury						•	▼	•							•	•		
Maceday Lake* (Oakland Co.)	Northern Pike	Mercury, PCBs	Т						V	lacksquare	V									
Norvell Lake (Jackson Co.)	Largemouth Bass	Mercury	Т						V	V										
Osmun Lake* (Oakland Co.)	Carp	PCBs																		
	Largemouth Bass	PCBs, Mercury																		П
Ottawa River	All species	PCBs	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>♦</b>	•	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	•	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>
Pine River (St. Clair Co.)	Carp	PCBs															<b>T</b>			
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River Raisin (Above Monroe Dam)	Carp	PCBs										•	•	•					•	

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River Raisin, (Below Monroe Dam) and Plum Creek	Black Buffalo	PCBs					•	•	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>					<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	•	<b>•</b>
and Fium Creek	Carp	PCBs	•	<b>♦</b>	•	•	•	•	•	<b>♦</b>	•	1	•	•	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>
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	Freshwater Drum	PCBs																		
	Smallmouth Bass	PCBs	Т																	
	White Bass	PCBs				•	•	•							•	•	<b>•</b>			
River Raisin,	Carp	PCBs																		
South Branch	Northern Pike	PCBs	Т									Т								
	Redhorse Sucker	PCBs										7	4 🔻							
Rouge River (Main or Upper Branch above M-153/Ford Road)	White Sucker	PCBs	<b>A</b>									1	<b>4 V</b>		▼	▼	▼	▼	▼	•
Rouge River (Phoenix Lake)	Bluegill	PCBs										1	<b>4 V</b>		▼					
	Carp	PCBs										7	<b>4 V</b>							
	Northern Pike	PCBs										4								
Rouge River (Newburgh Lake)	Carp	PCBs																		
	Channel Catfish	PCBs										Т								
	Largemouth Bass	PCBs														V	•	•		
Rouge River	Carp, Catfish	PCBs	<b></b>	<b>♦</b>	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	•	<b>♦</b>	4	•	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>
(Middle Branch below Newburgh Lake and Main Branch below M-153/Ford Road)	Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass	PCBs					•	•	•	•						•	•	•	•	
	Northern Pike	PCBs							•	•								•	•	<b>♦</b>
	White Suckers	PCBs																		
	All other species	PCBs	▼								▼	1	•	•	•	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	•	•	<b>♦</b>
Rouge River Lower Branch	Carp, Suckers	PCBs	<b>*</b>	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	<b>*</b>	4	•	<b>*</b>	•	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	•	<b>*</b>
Terry Lake* (Oakland Co.)	Carp	PCBs										1	<b>4 V</b>		•	•				•

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St. Clair River	Carp		Mercury, PCBs							•		•					•	•		<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>
	Freshwater	r Drum	Mercury, PCBs																		
	Gizzard Sh	ad	Mercury, PCBs												<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>			
	Walleye		PCBs	Т																	
Stony Creek Impoundment* (Macomb Co.)	Northern P	Pike	Mercury, PCBs							•		▼							•		•
Unnamed Lake*	Bullhead		PCBs										•								
(Washtenaw Co., T3S, R7E, S26)	Largemout	th Bass	Mercury, PCBs																		
Walled Lake* (Oakland Co.)	Carp		PCBs									lack	▼	▼	lacksquare	lacksquare			•		
	Northern P	Pike	Mercury, PCBs																		
Whitmore Lake* (Livingston Co.)	Carp		PCBs																		V
Woodland Lake* (Livingston Co.)	Carp		PCBs																		V
	Largemout	th Bass	Mercury						▼												
All Inland lakes,	Crappie		Mercury		<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	lacksquare	V	<b>V</b>								•	•			
reservoirs, and impoundments (mercury advisory)	Largemout Smallmout		Mercury					•	▼	•							•	•	•		
`	Muskellung	ge	Mercury																		
	Northern P	Pike	Mercury	T						•	•		1								
	Rock Bass		Mercury			•															
	Walleye		Mercury	$\top$					▼				1								
	Yellow Pero	ch	Mercury		•	▼	▼	▼													

 $<sup>\</sup>ensuremath{^*}$  For species not listed, see general in land lake mercury advisory on page 6.

Unlimited consumption. One meal per month.

One meal per week. Six meals per year.

Do not eat these fish.

**General Population** Length (inches) 

Women & Children **Length (inches)** 

Water body	Species	Contaminant(s)	8-9	8-10	10-1	12-1	14-1	18-2	22-2	26-3	30	8-9	8-1	10-1	12-1	14-1	18-2	22-2	26-3	30 +
Lake Huron Watershed	All other locations refer to ge	neral advice on page 6.																		
Lake Huron #	Brown Trout	PCBs															•	<b>♦</b>	•	•
	Burbot	PCBs										1	<b>1</b>	•			▼			
	Chinook Salmon	PCBs	Г									T								
	Coho Salmon	PCBs										T							•	
	Lake Trout	PCBs, Chlordane, Dioxins			▼	•	▼	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	•	•
	Rainbow Trout (Including Steelhead)	PCBs, Dioxins			<b>A</b>									•		•		•	•	
	Whitefish	PCBs, Dioxins						▼	<b>♦</b>	•	<b>♦</b>	▼	′ ▼		▼	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	•
Saginaw Bay # (Also follow	Carp	PCBs, Dioxins	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	<b>♦</b>	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Lake Huron advisories above)	Channel Catfish	PCBs, Dioxins						•	•	•	<b>♦</b>				•	•	•	•	<b>♦</b>	•
	Northern Pike	PCBs																		
	Walleye	Mercury, PCBs																		
	White Bass	PCBs	•																	
	White Perch	PCBs																		
	White Sucker	PCBs										1	<b>1</b>							
	Yellow Perch	PCBs										1	<b>'</b>							
Thunder Bay # (Also follow	Carp	PCBs, Dioxins						•	•	•	<b>♦</b>	1					•	•	•	•
Lake Huron advisories above)	Walleye	PCBs																		
Au Sable River (At Oscoda)	Carp	PCBs	▼	V	V	V		V			lacksquare	1	•	•	•	<b>•</b>	•	•	•	•
	Walleye	Mercury, PCBs																		
Au Sable River (Middle Branch)	Walleye	Mercury						V				$oxed{oxed}$								
Bad River	Channel Catfish	PCBs																•	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>
	Northern Pike	PCBs																		
Burt Lake (Cheboygan County)	Walleye	Mercury																		
Caro Impoundment* (Cass River)	Carp	PCBs	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>		<b>A</b>			<b>A</b>		•	′ 🔻	•	▼	▼	▼	•	•	▼

<sup>#</sup> Also applies to tributaries into which migratory species enter.

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Unlimited consumption. One meal per month.

One meal per week. Six meals per year.

Do not eat these fish.

**General Population** Length (inches) 0 0 4 8 0 9 0

Women & Children **Length (inches)** 

		eat these fish.	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30 +	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	18	52	-26	30	30 +
Water body	Species	Contaminant(s)	9	- <del>*</del>	10	12	14	18	22	26	3	9	× ×	10.	12.	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30
Lake Huron Watershed	All other locations refer to ge	neral advice on page 6.																		
Cass River (Below Bridgeport)	Carp	Dioxins									ullet	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
	Channel Catfish	PCBs, Mercury Dioxins				•	•	•	•	•	•				•	•	•	•	•	•
	Northern Pike	PCBs																		
Cass River (Above Bridgeport)	Carp	PCBs																		
	Northern Pike	Mercury																		
Cheboyganing Creek	Carp	PCBs							•	•	•							<b>•</b>	•	•
	Northern Pike	PCBs																		
Chippewa River (Midland Co.)	Redhorse Suckers	PCBs																		
Flint River (Below Flint)	Carp	PCBs									•									•
	Smallmouth Bass	PCBs																		
Holloway Reservoir* (Genessee Co.)	Channel Catfish	PCBs													•	•	•	•		•
Kawkawlin River	Carp	PCBs	<b>♦</b>	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	<b>*</b>	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
	Northern Pike	PCBs	Τ									Т								
Kearsley Reservoir*	Carp	PCBs												V	V	V	V			
(Genesee County)	Largemouth Bass	Mercury						_	▼	▼										
Pine River* (Alma Impoundment)	Carp	PCBs												V	V	V	V			
Pine River* (Downstream of Alma dam)	All Species	PBBs, DDT	•	<b>*</b>	•	<b>*</b>	•	•	•	•	<b>•</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>•</b>	•	•	•
Lake Ponemah* (Genesee Co.)	Carp	PCBs																		
	Largemouth Bass	Mercury																		
Rifle River	Redhorse Sucker	PCBs									П			V			V			
	Rock Bass	PCBs												<b>V</b>	•	•			T	
Saginaw River (Entire Length)	Carp, Catfish	PCBs, Dioxins	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
	White Bass	PCBs	▼						$\vdash$		П								$\top$	
	All other species	PCBs, Dioxins	▼	•	•	•			•	•	▼	•	•	•	•	•	•			•

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Unlimited consumpt One meal per month	n. 🔳	Six mea	eal per week. als per year.				ieral engt					_						Child nche			
Water body	Species	Do not	eat these fish.  Contaminant(s)	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30 +	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30 +
Lake Huron Watershed		s refer to ge	eneral advice on page 6.			1 -	-	1 -	1	_ N	81			w	1	1	1	-	21	N	
Sanford Lake* (Midland Co.)	Black Crapp		page of	T								П	TA				A		П		
Sufficial Lake (wildiand co.)	Channel Cat		Mercury, PCBs	╫	╀	╀						lacksquare	╫	╀	┢	<u> </u>	_	_			
	Rock Bass		Wercury, 1 CBs						<del>                                     </del>		<u> </u>					Å	Å	<u> </u>	Ť	H	
St. Mary's River	Carp		PCBs																		
St. Mary S Hiver	Northern Pi	ko	PCBs	┰	╀	╀	╀		_				╀								_
	Walleye	Ke	Mercury, PCBs	+	+	$\vdash$	$\vdash$			-			╫	$\vdash$	$\vdash$						·
Sebawaing River	,		PCBs	+						V A	V A	A	+				·	·			
Senawanig River	Carp	1		+	-								╀	+	•	<b>V</b>					
CI . D.	Northern Pil	ке	PCBs	+									+								Y
Shiawassee River (Below Owosso)	Carp		PCBs	1									- -	<b> </b>	<b>V</b>	_	_	•			
	Rock Bass		PCBs	▲				<b>A</b>	_						<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	V		_	┺	<u> </u>
	Smallmouth	Bass	PCBs	4	<u> </u>								_				V	V	V		
Shiawassee River (Byron to Owosso)	Carp		PCBs	•	•	•	•	•	•	<b>•</b>	•	•	•	•	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	•	•	•
(B)1011 to Owo330)	Northern Pi	ke	PCBs																		
	Smallmouth	Bass	PCBs																		
Shiawassee River S. Br. (M-59 to Byron)	All species		PCBs	<b>*</b>	•	•	•	<b>*</b>	•	•	<b>♦</b>	•	•	•	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	•	<b>*</b>
Tawas River	Northern Pi	ke	PCBs	1															V	<b>V</b>	V
Thompson Lake*	Black Crapp	oie	Mercury, PCBs					V	•											$\Box$	
(Livingston Co.)	Carp		PCBs						▼	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	▼	▼	•				•	•	<b>♦</b>
Thread Creek and Thread Creek Impoundment (Genesee Co.)	Carp		PCBs					<b>A</b>	•		<b>A</b>					•	•	•			
Tittabawassee River	Carp, Catfis	h	PCBs, Dioxins	•	<b>*</b>	•	•	•	•	•	<b>♦</b>	•	•	•	•	•	•	<b>♦</b>	•	•	•
(Below Midland)	Smallmouth	Bass	PCBs, Dioxins	1				▼	▼	▼	V		Τ				<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	•	Г
	White Bass		PCBs, Dioxins	•	•	•	•	•	•				•	•	•	<b>•</b>	•	<b>•</b>		$\vdash$	
	All other spe	ecies	PCBs, Dioxins	▼	•	▼	▼	▼	•	▼	▼	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

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▲ Unlimited consumption		eal per week.			Gen	eral	Pop	pula	tion					Wo	men	1 & (	Chilo	dren		
One meal per month.		als per year.			Le	engt	h (ir	iche	es)					L	eng	th (i	nche	es)		
	◆ Do not	eat these fish.	8-9	10	10-12	-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30 +	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	+
Water body	Species	Contaminant(s)	9	×	10	12	14	18	22	26	3(	9	∞,	10	12.	14-	18-	22-	26-	30
Lake Huron Watershed	All other locations refer to ge	eneral advice on page 6.																		
Tobico Wetland* (Bay Co.)	Carp	PCBs											7	<b>7</b>	•	•	•	▼		
	Northern Pike	PCBs																		
Van Etten Lake* (Iosco Co.)	Carp	PCBs																		
	Channel Catfish	PCBs																		
	Walleye	Mercury, PCBs					lacksquare	▼		▼										
*All Inland lakes,	Crappie	Mercury		V	V	V	V	V				4								П
reservoirs, and impoundments (mercury advisory)	Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass	Mercury					•	▼	▼	▼						•	•	•		
	Muskellunge	Mercury										П								
	Northern Pike	Mercury							▼	▼	lacksquare							•		
	Rock Bass	Mercury			•		V													
	Walleye	Mercury	Τ				▼													
	Yellow Perch	Mercury			•							4		•						

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▲ Unlimited consumption		eal per week.			Ger	ıera	l Po	pula	tion	l				Wo	mer	ı & (	Child	lren		
• One meal per month.		als per year.			L	engt	th (i	nche	es)					L	eng	th (i	nche	es)		
Water body	Species Do not	eat these fish.  Contaminant(s)	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30 +	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30 +
Lake Michigan Watersh			-		_			_	1 2/	2/			-	-	<del>-</del>	1 =	7	21	61	
Lake Michigan Watersh	All other locations refer	to general advice on page 6.	-	-	-	-	-					_	-	-						
Lake Michigan North of Frankfort #	Brown Trout	PCBs	╙						<b>•</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>•</b>	┸		•				<b>♦</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>♦</b>
of Frankiott #	Burbot	PCBs																	V	
	Carp	PCBs	V				V			<b>♦</b>	•								<b>♦</b>	•
	Catfish	PCBs	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	•	•	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	•	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	•	•	•
	Chinook Salmon	PCBs																		
	Coho Salmon	PCBs																		
	Lake Trout	PCBs, Chlordane								•	•								•	•
	Rainbow Trout (Including Steelhead)	PCBs												•	•	•	•	•		•
	Smelt	PCBs										▼								
	Sturgeon	PCBs									•									•
	Walleye	Mercury, PCBs																		
	Whitefish	PCBs, Dioxin	▼				•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
	Yellow Perch	PCBs										•								
Lake Michigan South	Brown Trout	PCBs							•	•		Т						•	•	•
of Frankfort #	Carp, Catfish	PCBs	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	<b>•</b>	<b>*</b>	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	<b>•</b>
	Chinook Salmon	PCBs																		
	Coho Salmon	PCBs																		
	Lake Trout	PCBs, Chlordane							•	•	<b>•</b>							•	•	<b>•</b>
	Rainbow Trout (Including Steelhead)	PCBs												•	▼	•	•	•	•	•
	Smelt	PCBs										▼								
	Sturgeon	PCBs, Chlordane DDT, Dioxin									•									<b>*</b>
	Walleye	Mercury, PCBs														▼				
	Whitefish	PCBs, Chlordane Dioxin				<b>A</b>			•	<b>•</b>	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>
	Yellow Perch	PCBs												<b>V</b>	▼	▼				

Unlimited consumption. One meal per week. **General Population** Women & Children One meal per month. Six meals per year. Length (inches) **Length (inches)** Do not eat these fish. 12-14 18-22 26-30 10-12 12-14 30 + 8-9 8-9 30 Water body **Species** Contaminant(s) Lake Michigan Watershed All other locations refer to general advice on page 6. Green Bay # **Brown Trout PCBs** (S. of Cedar River. Applies to Burbot **PCBs** Michigan waters including Menominee and Cedar rivers Carp **PCBs** below first dam. See also Lake Michigan-**Channel Catfish PCBs** North of Frankfort) Chinook Salmon **PCBs PCBs** Lake Trout Longnose Sucker **PCBs** Northern Pike **PCBs** Rainbow Trout **PCBs** (Including Steelhead) **Smallmouth Bass** Mercury, PCBs Splake **PCBs** Sturgeon **PCBs** Walleye Mercury, PCBs White Bass **PCBs** Whitefish PCBs, Dioxins White Perch **PCBs** White Sucker **PCBs** Yellow Perch **PCBs** Little Bay de Noc # **Burbot PCBs** (See also Lake Michigan North Carp **PCBs** of Frankfort) **PCBs** Longnose Sucker **PCBs** Northern Pike **Smallmouth Bass** Mercury, PCBs **PCBs** White Sucker Barton Lake\* (Kalamazoo Co.) Carp **PCBs** 

<sup>#</sup> Also applies to tributaries into which migratory species enter.

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▲ Unlimited consumption		al per week.			Gen	ieral	l Poj	pula	tion					Wo	men	& (	Child	lren		
• One meal per month.		als per year.			L	engt	h (iı	nche	es)					L	engt	h (i	nche	es)		
		eat these fish.	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30 +	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30 +
Water body	Species	Contaminant(s)	L	œ	1 01	12	14	18	22	26	ñ	9	×	10	12	14	18	22	26	3
Lake Michigan Watersho	${ m ed}$ All other locations refer	to general advice on page 6.																		
Battle Creek River	Carp	PCBs												▼	•	▼	▼	•		
	Smallmouth Bass	PCBs																		
Bear Lake* (Muskegon Co.)	Carp	PCBs									<b>♦</b>								•	<b>♦</b>
	Largemouth Bass	Mercury, PCBs	П									Т								
	Northern Pike	PCBs										Т								
	Walleye	Mercury, PCBs																		
Black Creek (Muskegon Co.)	Carp, White Sucker	PCBs										•								
Black River (Below S. Br. and	Carp	PCBs, Chlordane	•	<b>*</b>	•	•	•	<b>•</b>	•	•	•	•	<b>*</b>	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	•	•	<b>•</b>
S. Br. below Bangor)	Northern Pike	PCBs																		
	White Sucker	PCBs										<b>T</b>				•	•			
Boyne River	Brown Trout	PCBs										Т								
Constantine Impoundment* (St. Joseph R.; St. Joseph Co.)	Channel Catfish	PCBs													•	▼	•	•	▼	•
Crystal Lake* (Benzie Co.)	Brown Trout	PCBs																		
	Lake Trout	PCBs													•	V	V			
	White Sucker	PCBs										▼		•	•	V	▼	▼		
Dowagiac River	Carp	PCBs												V	V	V	V	•		V
Elk Lake* (Antrim Co.)	Lake Trout	Mercury, PCBs								V	V	Т		V	V	V	V			
Fawn River	Carp	PCBs										▼		V	V	V	V			
Flat River	Carp	PCBs																		
	Rock Bass	PCBs									П	▼			•	V				
Fenner Lake* (Allegan Co.)	Carp	PCBs										<b>V</b>	•	•	•	V	V			
Galien River	Carp	PCBs, Chlordane							•	•	•				•			•	•	<b>•</b>
Glen Lake* (Leelanau Co.)	Lake Trout	Mercury, PCBs, Chlordane			<b>A</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	•	•	<b>•</b>			•	•	•	•	•		<b>♦</b>

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Watan hada	Species Do not	eat these fish.  Contaminant(s)	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30 +	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30 +
Water body			-	-		1 -	7	<u> </u>	21	21			1 ∞	1	1	1	-	81	N	
Lake Michigan Watersho	ea All other locations refer	to general advice on page 6.	-									-	7		-					
Goose Lake* (Marquette Co.)	Northern Pike	PCBs																		
	Walleye	PCBs																		
	Yellow Perch	PCBs										<b>V</b>								
Grand River (Above Webber Dam)	Carp	PCBs																		
	Channel Catfish	PCBs																		
	Northern Pike	PCBs																		
	Redhorse Sucker	PCBs																		
	Walleye	PCBs																		
	White Sucker	PCBs											1							
Grand River (Below Webber Dam)	Carp	PCBs																		
	Channel Catfish	PCBs																		
	Northern Pike	PCBs																		
	Redhorse Sucker	PCBs																		
	Walleye	PCBs																		
Greenwood Reservoir* (Escanaba River, Marquette Co.)	Northern Pike	Mercury							▼	▼	<b>•</b>							•	•	•
Gull Lake* (Kalamazoo Co.)	Northern Pike	Mercury, PCBs								▼								▼		
Hess Lake* (Newago Co.)	Carp	PCBs																		
Higgins Lake* (Roscommon Co.)	Lake Trout	Mercury, PCBs, Chlordane									<b>•</b>			•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Houghton Lake*(Roscommon Co.)	Carp	PCBs																		
Kalamazoo River (Ceresco Impoundment, Calhoun Co.)	Carp	PCBs		<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Kalamazoo River (From Battle	Carp	PCBs														•		•		
Creek to Morrow Pond Dam)	Channel Catfish	PCBs										•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
	Smallmouth Bass	PCBs														▼	▼	▼		

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		eat these fish.	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30 +	8-9	8-10	10-12	12-14	14-18	18-22	22-26	26-30	30 +
Water body	Species	Contaminant(s)	Ľ	_ ∞	1	1;	1,	17	123	2	_ m		∞	10	12	14	18	22	56	
Lake Michigan Watershe	d All other locations refer	to general advice on page 6.									_									
Kalamazoo River (From Morrow	Carp	PCBs	<b>♦</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>														
Dam to Allegan Dam) and	Catfish, Suckers	PCBs	<b>♦</b>	•	<b>♦</b>	•	•	•	<b>♦</b>	•	<b>♦</b>	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	•	•	<b>♦</b>
	Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass	PCBs PCBs					•	•	•	•						•	•	•	•	
	All other species	PCBs	▼	•	▼	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	lacksquare	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	•	•	<b>♦</b>
Kalamazoo River	Carp, Catfish	PCBs	<b>*</b>	•	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	•	<b>♦</b>	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	•	•	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>
(Below Allegan Dam)	Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass	PCBs					▼	•	▼	•						•	<b>•</b>	•	•	
	Northern Pike	PCBs							•	•	•							•	•	<b>♦</b>
	All other species	PCBs										•						•		
Klinger lake (St. Joseph Co.)	Largemouth Bass	Mercury						<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	▼										
Lake Charlevoix*(Charlevoix Co.)	Brown Trout	PCBs							V	V		Т								
	Lake Trout	PCBs																		
Lake Macatawa* (Ottawa Co.)	Carp	PCBs, Chlordane						▼	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	▼	•	•	•			•	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>
	Walleye	PCBs																		
Lake Paradise (Emmet Co.)	Largemouth Bass	Mercury	П					V	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>		Τ								
	Smallmouth Bass	Mercury						•	•	•										
Long Lake (St. Joseph Co.)	Largemouth Bass	Mercury						V	V	<b>V</b>		Т								
Manistee Lake* (Manistee Co.)	Black Crappie	Mercury, PCBs		<b>T</b>	•	<b>V</b>	▼	<b>V</b>				▼								
	Bluegill	PCBs										<b>V</b>	•	•	•					
	Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass	Mercury, PCBs					•	•	•	•						•	•	•	•	
	Walleye	Mercury, PCBs						▼			lacktriangleright					•				
Manistique River	Carp	PCBs	<b>•</b>	•	•	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	•	<b>•</b>	•
(Below M-94/ Old U.S. 2)	Channel Catfish	PCBs																		
Manistique River (Upstream from dam at Manistique)	Northern Pike	Mercury							•	•	▼							•	•	•

Unlimited consumption. One meal per week. **General Population** Women & Children One meal per month. Six meals per year. **Length (inches) Length (inches)** Do not eat these fish. 12-14 18-22 26-30 8-9 8-9 30 30 Water body **Species** Contaminant(s) Lake Michigan Watershed All other locations refer to general advice on page 6. **Menominee River** Mercury, PCBs Carp (Below Quinnesec, Dickinson Co.) Redhorse Sucker Mercury, PCBs Mercury, PCBs Sturgeon Mercury, PCBs Walleve White Sucker **PCBs** Michigamme River **Burbot** Mercury System\* (Including Lake Michigamme, Northern Pike Mercury Michigamme Reservoir, Peavy Pond, and Paint River Pond) Walleye Mercury White Sucker Mercury Mona Lake\* (Muskegon Co.) Carp **PCBs Smallmouth Bass PCBs** Walleye **PCBs** Morrison Lake\* (Ionia Co.) Carp **PCBs** Largemouth Bass Muskegon Lake\* Carp **PCBs** (Muskegon Co.) Largemouth Bass Mercury, PCBs Northern Pike **PCBs Smallmouth Bass** Mercury, PCBs Walleye Mercury, PCBs **Muskegon River PCBs** Carp (Below Croton Dam) **Redhorse Sucker** Mercury, PCBs Walleye **PCBs** Net River (Iron Co.) Northern Pike Mercury Walleye Mercury **Largemouth Bass** Palmer Lake (St. Joseph Co.) Mercury **Pere Marquette Lake\*** Northern Pike Mercury, PCBs (Mason Co.) Redhorse Sucker **PCBs** 

Unlimited consumption. One meal per week. **General Population** Women & Children Six meals per year. One meal per month. **Length (inches) Length (inches)** Do not eat these fish. 12-14 18-22 26-30 8-9 8-9 30 30 Water body **Species** Contaminant(s) Lake Michigan Watershed All other locations refer to general advice on page 6. **Pere Marquette River Brown Trout** Mercury, PCBs Redhorse Sucker **PCBs** Portage Creek (Monarch Pond) **PCBs** Carp Portage Creek (Below Monarch Carp **PCBs** Mill Pond, Kalamazoo Co.) **Channel Catfish PCBs** Largemouth Bass **PCBs Smallmouth Bass PCBs** All other species **PCBs** Portage Lake\* (Manistee Co.) Largemouth and Mercury, PCBs **Smallmouth Bass** Northern Pike Mercury, PCBs Randall Lake Chain\*(Branch Co.) Northern Pike Mercury, PCBs **Red Cedar River** Carp **PCBs** Northern Pike **PCBs** Reed's Lake\* (Kent Co.) Largemouth Bass **PCBs** Northern Pike **PCBs** Walleye **PCBs Ruddiman Creek Lagoon PCBs** Carp (Muskegon Co.) Largemouth Bass **PCBs** Round Lake\* (Marquette Co.) Northern Pike Mercury Selkirk Lake\* (Allegan Co.) Yellow Bullhead Mercury St. Joseph River **PCBs** Carp (Below Berrien Springs) **Smallmouth Bass PCBs PCBs** Walleye St. Joseph River (Including **PCBs** Carp Chapin Lake; above Berrien **Smallmouth Bass PCBs** Springs, Berrien Co.) St. Joseph River Walleye **PCBs** 

Unlimited consumption. One meal per week. **General Population** Women & Children One meal per month. Six meals per year. **Length (inches) Length (inches)** Do not eat these fish. 12-14 18-22 26-30 10-12 12-14 30 + 8-9 8-9 30 Water body **Species** Contaminant(s) Lake Michigan Watershed All other locations refer to general advice on page 6. Stanley Lake (Iron Co.) Walleye Mercury Torch Lake\* **Brown Trout PCBs** (Antrim Co.) Mercury, PCBs, Lake Trout Chlordane Lake Whitefish PCBs, Dioxin **Smallmouth Bass** Mercury, PCBs Yellow Perch Mercury **Union Lake\*** Carp, Catfish **PCBs** (St. Joseph R., Branch Co.) Unnamed Lake\* (Baraga Co., Nothern Pike Mercury T49N, R31W, S35) Walleye Mercury Yellow Perch Mercury Walloon Lake\* (Charlevoix Co.) Rock Bass Mercury Yellow Perch Mercury West Branch Lakes. Northern Pike Mercury SE and SW\* (Alger Co., T48N, Walleye Mercury R14W, S31) Yellow Perch Mercury White Lake (Muskegon Co.) PCBs, Chlordane Carp **Smallmouth Bass** Mercury, PCBs Walleye Mercury, PCBs \*All inland lakes, reservoirs, Crappie Mercury and impoundments Largemouth and (mercury advisory) Mercury **Smallmouth Bass** Muskellunge Mercury Northern Pike Mercury **Rock Bass** Mercury V Walleve Mercury Yellow Perch Mercury 40

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Deer Lake (Marquette Co.)	All species		Mercury	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	•	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>•</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>
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Torch Lake* (Houghton Co.)	Northern Pike	Mercury, PCBs	Т								lacksquare							▼	▼	•			
	Smallmouth Bass	Mercury, PCBs						▼	▼	•						•							
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**Yellow Perch** 

Mercury

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A. When multiple contaminants are listed, each chemical was analyzed separately for the appropriate advisory and the most protective advisory selected.